S&H Form: (2/01) DOCKET NO. 392.1577D 3,139

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:

Hiroyuki UCHIDA et al.

Confirmation No. 2285

Serial No: 10/040,414

Group Art Unit: 3729

Filed: January 9, 2002

Examiner: Carl J. Arbes

For:

METHOD OF EXPANDING TYPES OF SYNCHRONOUS MOTORS AND

SYNCHRONOUS MOTORS PRODUCED BY THE METHOD

REQUEST FOR CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is requested that the foreign priority information on the Official Filing Receipt be corrected. The correct foreign application information is Japan 17784/1997 1/16/1997, as is evidenced by a copy of the PCT Request Form filed in parent Serial No. 09155,015, attached to the application as filed. For the convenience of the Patent and Trademark Office, attached is a photocopy of the original receipt on which the errors have been noted in red.

It is requested that a corrected Official Filing Receipt be issued in this application.

Respectfully submitted,

STAAS & HALSEY LLP

Date: (2,20

Gene M. Garner II

Registration No. 34,172

1201 New York Ave, N.W., Suite 700

Washington, D.C. 20005

Telephone: (202) 434-1500 Facsimile: (202) 434-1501





COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
WASHINGTON, D.C. 2023I
WWW.uspto.gov

| APPLICATION NUMBER | FILING DATE | GRP ART UNIT | FIL FEE REC'D | ATTY.DOCKET.NO | DRAWINGS | TOT CLAIMS | IND CLAIMS |
|--------------------|-------------|--------------|---------------|----------------|----------|------------|------------|
| 10/040,414 | 01/09/2002 | 3729 | 740 | 392.1577D | 6 | 4 | 1 |

CONFIRMATION NO. 2285

21171 STAAS & HALSEY LLP 700 11TH STREET, NW SUITE 500 WASHINGTON, DC 20001



Date Mailed: 02/08/2002

Receipt is acknowledged of this nonprovisional Patent Application. It will be considered in its order and you will be notified as to the results of the examination. Be sure to provide the U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER, FILING DATE, NAME OF APPLICANT, and TITLE OF INVENTION when inquiring about this application. Fees transmitted by check or draft are subject to collection. Please verify the accuracy of the data presented on this receipt. If an error is noted on this Filing Receipt, please write to the Office of Initial Patent Examination's Customer Service Center. Please provide a copy of this Filing Receipt with the changes noted thereon. If you received a "Notice to File Missing Parts" for this application, please submit any corrections to this Filing Receipt with your reply to the Notice. When the USPTO processes the reply to the Notice, the USPTO will generate another Filing Receipt incorporating the requested corrections (if appropriate).

Applicant(s)

Hiroyuki Uchida, Minamitsuru-gun, JAPAN; Takashi Okamoto, Minamitsuru-gun, JAPAN; Tomonaga Yamamoto, Minamitsuru-gun, JAPAN;

Assignment For Published Patent Application

FANUC LTD, Yamanishi, JAPAN;

Domestic Priority data as claimed by applicant

THIS APPLICATION IS A DIV OF 09/155,015 09/16/1998 WHICH IS A 371 OF PCT/JP98/00137 01/16/1998

Foreign Applications

JAPAN 17784/1997 01/16/1997 -

If Required, Foreign Filing License Granted 02/07/2002

Projected Publication Date: 05/23/2002

Non-Publication Request: No

Early Publication Request: No

Title

FEB 1 3 2002

Method of expanding types of synchronous motors and synchronous motors produced by the method

Preliminary Class

029

LICENSE FOR FOREIGN FILING UNDER Title 35, United States Code, Section 184 Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, 5.11 & 5.15

GRANTED

The applicant has been granted a license under 35 U.S.C. 184, if the phrase "IF REQUIRED, FOREIGN FILING LICENSE GRANTED" followed by a date appears on this form. Such licenses are issued in all applications where the conditions for issuance of a license have been met, regardless of whether or not a license may be required as set forth in 37 CFR 5.15. The scope and limitations of this license are set forth in 37 CFR 5.15(a) unless an earlier license has been issued under 37 CFR 5.15(b). The license is subject to revocation upon written notification. The date indicated is the effective date of the license, unless an earlier license of similar scope has been granted under 37 CFR 5.13 or 5.14.

This license is to be retained by the licensee and may be used at any time on or after the effective date thereof unless it is revoked. This license is automatically transferred to any related applications(s) filed under 37 CFR 1.53(d). This license is not retroactive.

The grant of a license does not in any way lessen the responsibility of a licensee for the security of the subject matter as imposed by any Government contract or the provisions of existing laws relating to espionage and the national security or the export of technical data. Licensees should apprise themselves of current regulations especially with respect to certain countries, of other agencies, particularly the Office of Defense Trade Controls, Department of State (with respect to Arms, Munitions and Implements of War (22 CFR 121-128)); the Office of Export Administration, Department of Commerce (15 CFR 370.10 (j)); the Office of Foreign Assets Control, Department of Treasury (31 CFR Parts 500+) and the Department of Energy.

NOT GRANTED

No license under 35 U.S.C. 184 has been granted at this time, if the phrase "IF REQUIRED, FOREIGN FILING LICENSE GRANTED" DOES NOT appear on this form. Applicant may still petition for a license under 37 CFR 5.12, if a license is desired before the expiration of 6 months from the filing date of the application. If 6 months has lapsed from the filing date of this application and the licensee has not received any indication of a secrecy order under 35 U.S.C. 181, the licensee may foreign file the application pursuant to 37 CFR 5.15(b).



REQUEST

| For receiving Office use only | | | | | | |
|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| ·. | | | | | | |
| International Application No. | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | |
| International Filing Date | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | |
| Name of receiving Office and "PCT International Application" | | | | | | |
| Applicant's or agent's file reference | | | | | | |

| international application be processed | Name of receiving Office and "PCT International Application" | | | | | | |
|---|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| according to the Patent Cooperation Treaty. | | | | | | | |
| | Applicant's or agent's file reference (if desired) (12 characters maximum) FFA-1445 | | | | | | |
| ox No. I TITLE OF INVENTION METHOD OF EXPANDING TYPES OF SYNCHRONOUS MOTORS | | | | | | | |
| AND SYNCHRONOUS MOTORS PRODUCED BY THE METHOD | | | | | | | |
| D V V ANDLICANT | | | | | | | |
| Box No. II APPLICANT | and the control of th | | | | | | |
| Name and address: (Family name followed by given name; for a legal entity, full official designation. The address must include postal code and name of country. The country of the address indicated in this Box is the applicant's State (i.e. country) of residence if no State of residence is indicated below.) This person is also inventor. | | | | | | | |
| | Telephone No. | | | | | | |
| FANUC LTD | 0555-84-5555 | | | | | | |
| 3580, Shibokusa Aza-komanba, O | Facsimile No. | | | | | | |
| Minamitsuru-gun, Yamanashi, 40 | | | | | | | |
| gan, camera, | Teleprinter No. | | | | | | |
| State (i.e. country) of nationality: | State (i.e. country) of residence: | | | | | | |
| Japan | Japan | | | | | | |
| This person is applicant for the purposes of: all designated X all designated States | ed States except States of America The United States of America only the States indicated in the Supplemental Box | | | | | | |
| Box No. III FURTHER APPLICANT(S) AND/OR (FURT | THER) INVENTOR(S) | | | | | | |
| Name and address: (Family name followed by given name; for a legal entity, full official designation. The address must include postal code and name of country. The country of the address indicated in this Box is the applicant's State (i.e. country) of residence if no State of residence is indicated below.) This person is: | | | | | | | |
| Hiroyuki UCHIDA | applicant only | | | | | | |
| | X applicant and inventor | | | | | | |
| 4447-8, Katsuyama-mura, Minamitsuru-gun, Yamanashi, | A applicant and inventor | | | | | | |
| 401-03 Japan | inventor only (If this check-box is marked, do not fill in below.) | | | | | | |
| 2 | is marked, as hat jut in below.) | | | | | | |
| State (i.e. country) of nationality: | State (i.e. country) of residence: Japan | | | | | | |
| Japan | . • | | | | | | |
| | ted States except States of America X the United States of America only the States indicated in the Supplemental Box | | | | | | |
| Further applicants and/or (further) inventors are indicated | on a continuation sheet. | | | | | | |
| Box No. IV AGENT OR COMMON REPRESENTATIVE; OR ADDRESS FOR CORRESPONDENCE | | | | | | | |
| The person identified below is hereby/has been appointed to act of the applicant(s) before the competent International Authorities | on behalf X agent Common representative es as: | | | | | | |
| Name and address: (Family name followed by given name: for a legal The address must include postal code and name | lentity, full official designation. Telephone No. | | | | | | |
| 8230 Shoji TAKEMOTO, Patent | Attorney | | | | | | |
| 8835 Hideo SUGIYAMA, Patent | | | | | | | |
| 9342 Koichi YUDA, Patent Att | | | | | | | |
| 10249 Takahiro UOZUMI, Patent 10191 Akio SHONOIRI, Patent A | Accorney | | | | | | |
| 2F., Yamagata Bldg., 23-10, T | | | | | | | |
| 1-chome, Minato-ku, Tokyo, 10 |)5 Japan | | | | | | |
| Mark this check-box where no agent or common represent indicate a special address to which correspondence should | tative is/has been appointed and the space above is used instead to | | | | | | |

| Continuation of Box No. III FURTHER APPLICANTS AND/OR (FURTHER) INVENTORS | | | | | | | |
|--|--|---|--|--|--|--|--|
| If none of the following sub-boxes is used, this sheet is not to be included in the request. | | | | | | | |
| Name and address: (Family name followed by given name: for a legal en The address must include postal code and name of country. The country of Box is the applicant's State (i.e. country) of residence if no State of residen | This person is: | | | | | | |
| Takashi OKAMOTO | applicant only | | | | | | |
| Room 11-605, FANUC Manshonharimo | X applicant and inventor | | | | | | |
| Shibokusa, Oshino-mura, Minamits Yamanashi, 401-05 Japan | inventor only (If this check-box is marked, do not fill in below.) | | | | | | |
| State (i.e. country) of nationality: Japan | sidence: Japan | | | | | | |
| | States except X the ates of America | United States the States indicated in the Supplemental Box | | | | | |
| Name and address: (Family name followed by given name; for a legal en The address must include postal code and name of country. The country of Box is the applicant's State (i.e. country) of residence if no State of residence Tomonaga YAMAMOTO Room 8-210, FANUC Manshonharimos Shibokusa, Oshino-mura, Minamit Yamanashi, 401-05 Japan | mi, 3511-1, | This person is: applicant only applicant and inventor inventor only (If this check-box is marked, do not fill in below.) | | | | | |
| State (i.e. country) of nationality: | State (i.e. country) of re | l sidence: Japan | | | | | |
| Japan This person is applicant all designated for the purposes of: States all designated the United States | | United States the States indicated in the Supplemental Box | | | | | |
| Name and address: (Family name followed by given name; for a legal en The address must include postal code and name of country. The country of Box is the applicant's State (i.e. country) of residence if no State of residen | nity, full official designation. the address indicated in this ice is indicated below.) | This person is: applicant only applicant and inventor inventor only (If this check-box is marked, do not fill in below.) | | | | | |
| State (i.e. country) of nationality: | State (i.e. country) of re | esidence: | | | | | |
| This person is applicant all designated all designate for the purposes of: | | e United States the States indicated in the Supplemental Box | | | | | |
| Name and address: (Family name followed by given name; for a legal en The address must include postal code and name of country. The country of Box is the applicant's State (i.e. country) of residence if no State of residen | ntity, full official designation. The address indicated in this nce is indicated below.) | This person is: applicant only applicant and inventor inventor only (If this check-box is marked, do not fill in below.) | | | | | |
| State (i.e. country) of nationality: | State (i.e. country) of re | esidence: | | | | | |
| This person is applicant all designated all designate for the purposes of: | | the United States in the States indicated in the Supplemental Box | | | | | |
| Further applicants and/or (further) inventors are indicated on another continuation sheet. | | | | | | | |

| Box N | o.V | DESIGNATION OF STATES | | ٠. | | | | |
|--|--|--|-------------------|------------------|--|--|--|--|
| The following designations are hereby made under Rule 4.9(a) (mark the applicable check-boxes; at least one must be marked): | | | | | | | | |
| Regional Patent | | | | | | | | |
| | | P ARIPO Patent: KE Kenya, LS Lesotho, MW Malawi, SD Sudan, SZ Swaziland, UG Uganda, and any other State which is a Contracting State of the Harare Protocol and of the PCT | | | | | | |
| | EA | Eurasian Patent: AM Armenia, AZ Azerbaijan, BY Belarus, KG Kyrgyzstan, KZ Kazakstan, MD Republic of Moldova, RU Russian Federation, TJ Tajikistan, TM Turkmenistan, and any other State which is a Contracting State of the Eurasian Patent Convention and of the PCT | | | | | | |
| \square | EP | The second secon | | | | | | |
| | OA | OAPI Patent: BF Burkina Faso, BJ Benin, CF Central African Republic, CG Congo, CI Côte d'Ivoire, CM Cameroon, GA Gabon, GN Guinea, ML Mali, MR Mauritania, NE Niger, SN Senegal, TD Chad, TG Togo, and any other State which is a member State of OAPI and a Contracting State of the PCT (if other kind of protection or treatment desired, specify on dotted line) | | | | | | |
| Natio | nal Pa | atent (if other kind of protection or treatment desired, | spec | ify on | dotted line): | | | |
| | | Albania | | | Luxembourg | | | |
| | AM | Armenia | | LV | Latvia | | | |
| | ΆT | Austria | | MD | Republic of Moldova | | | |
| | ΑU | Australia | | MG | Madagascar | | | |
| | ΑZ | Azerbaijan | | MK | The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia | | | |
| \Box | BA | Bosnia and Herzegovina | | | | | | |
| \sqcap | ВВ | Barbados | | MN | Mongolia | | | |
| Ħ | BG | Bulgaria | $\overline{\Box}$ | MW | Malawi | | | |
| \exists | | Brazil | ĭ | | Mexico | | | |
| Ħ | | Belarus | \exists | | Norway | | | |
| 吊 | | Canada | \Box | | New Zealand | | | |
| 님 | | and LI Switzerland and Liechtenstein | H | • – | Poland | | | |
| 님 | | China | | | Portugal | | | |
| 片 | | Cuba | H | | Romania | | | |
| 꿈 | | Czech Republic | \exists | | | | | |
| 님 | | Germany | Н | • | Russian Federation | | | |
| 님 | | Denmark | Н | | Sudan / | | | |
| 님 | | | Н | SE | Sweden | | | |
| 닏 | EE | Estonia | \Box | SG | Singapore | | | |
| 닏 | ES | Spain | \Box | SI | Slovenia | | | |
| Ц | FI | Finland | | SK | Slovakia | | | |
| 닏 | GB | United Kingdom | | TJ | Tajikistan | | | |
| \Box | GE | Georgia | | TM | Turkmenistan | | | |
| \Box | HU | Hungary | | TR | Turkey | | | |
| | IL | Israel | | TT | Trinidad and Tobago | | | |
| | IS | Iceland | | UA | Ukraine | | | |
| | JP | Japan | | UG | Uganda | | | |
| | KE | Kenya | \square | US | United States of America | | | |
| | KG | Kyrgyzstan | | | | | | |
| | KР | Democratic People's Republic of Korea | | UΖ | Uzbekistan | | | |
| | | • | | VN | Viet Nam | | | |
| | KR | Republic of Korea | _ | | All the state of t | | | |
| | KZ | Kazakstan | Che | ck-bo tional | xes reserved for designating States (for the purposes of patent) which have become party to the PCT after | | | |
| | LC | Saint Lucia | | | of this sheet: | | | |
| | LK | Sri Lanka | | | | | | |
| | LR | Liberia | | | | | | |
| | LS | Lesotho | | | | | | |
| | LT | Lithuania | | | | | | |
| In ac | In addition to the designations made above, the applicant also makes under Rule 4.9(b) all designations which would be permitted | | | | | | | |
| under | the P | CT except the designation(s) of | | | | | | |
| The a | pplica e the e | int declares that those additional designations are subject to be received on 15 months from the priority date is to be re- | ct to egard | confii led as | mation and that any designation which is not confirmed withdrawn by the applicant at the expiration of that time | | | |
| | before the expiration of 15 months from the priority date is to be regarded as withdrawn by the applicant at the expiration of that time | | | | | | | |

limit. (Confirmation of a designation consists of the filing of a notice specifying that designation and the payment of the designation and confirmation fees. Confirmation must reach the receiving Office within the 15-month time limit.)

Sheet No.

| Box No. VI PRIORITY CLAIM Further priority claims are indicated in the Supplemental Box | | | | | | | | |
|--|--|--------------------------|--------------------------|--|---|---|--|--|
| The priority of the following ear | lier application(s |) is hereby claimed | : | | | | | |
| Country (in which, or for which, the application was filed) | Filing Date | | Application No. | | Office of filing (only for regional or international application) | | | |
| item (1) Japan | 16. 0 | 1. 97 | Patent A | pplication 4/1997 | | | | |
| item (2) | | | | | | | | |
| item (3) | | | | | | | | |
| The receiving Office is he Bureau a certified copy o | Mark the following check-box if the certified copy of the earlier application is to be issued by the Office which for the purposes of the present international application is the receiving Office (a fee may be required): X The receiving Office is hereby requested to prepare and transmit to the International Bureau a certified copy of the earlier application(s) identified above as item(s): | | | | | | | |
| | | NG AUTHORITY | | | | | | |
| Choice of International Search are competent to carry out the international Earlier search Fill in where a search Fill in where to be described. | national search, tha arch (international, | international-type or | other) by the Inte | rnational Searching A | uthority has | JP already been carried arlier search. Identify | | |
| such search or request either by ref Country (or regional Office): | out or requested and the Authority is now requested to base the international search to the control or by reference to the search request: such search or request either by reference to the relevant application (or the translation thereof) or by reference to the search request: | | | | | | | |
| Box No. VIII CHECK LIST | | | | | | | | |
| This international application contains This international application is accompanied by the item(s) marked below: The following number of sheets: | | | | | | | | |
| 1. request : 4 | sheets | • | of attorney | لنك | :- d: | ing | | |
| 2. description : 16 | sheets | 2. copy of | f general of attorney | 6. sepai depo | rate indica sited micro | tions concerning organisms | | |
| 3. claims : 2 | sheets | | nt explaining | _ C nucle | otide and/ | or amino acid | | |
| 4. abstract : 1/6 | sheets | 3. lack of | signature | | | (diskette) | | |
| 5. drawings : sneets 4. priority document(s) 8. X other (specify): Request for specify of Sending of | | | | | | Sending of | | |
| Total: 29 Figure No. 2 of the | | <u> </u> | | then it is published. | Hed FIR | officy bocalizate | | |
| | OF APPLICAN | | | | - | | | |
| Next to each signature, indicate the n | ome of the person sig | ming and the capacity is | n which the person | signs (if such capacity is | not obvious | from reading the request). | | |
| | | | | | | - | | |
| Shoji TAKEMOTO (seal) Hideo SUGIYAMA (seal) Akio SHIONOIRI (seal) | | | | | | | | |
| Koichi YUDA (seal) Takahiro UOZUMI (seal) | | | | | | | | |
| For reading Office use only | | | | | | | | |
| Por receiving Office use only 1. Date of actual receipt of the purported international application: | | | | | | 2. Drawings: | | |
| 3. Corrected date of actual receipt due to later but timely received papers or drawings completing the purported international application: | | | | | received: | | | |
| 4. Date of timely receipt of the required corrections under PCT Article i1(2): | | | | | | not received: | | |
| 5. International Searching Au specified by the applicant: | thority ICA / | 6. | Transm until se | ittal of search copy arch fee is paid | delayed | | | |
| | | For Internationa | d Bureau use on | ly | | | | |
| Date of receipt of the record by the International Bureau: | copy | | | | | | | |